OLD ENGLAND.

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Bleſſed is the Man that hath not walked in the Councel of the Ungodly. PSALM I.

HOW miſterious are the Arts of Government, and the Tranſactions of Miniſters! and how vain are our Endeavours to ſcan them by the Rules of Reaſon! they are too profound to be fathom'd, and too intricate for Solution!—We have lately ſeen a great Perſonage of Merit and Honour removed from his Office, at a very unſeaſonable Juncture, as moſt People conceived, and while we expected to ſee his eminent Services to the Government, and inviolable Attachment to his Sovereign, crowned with Reward.

Before we could well recover from the Surprize which ſuch an extraordinary Proceeding muſt neceſſarily have raiſed among us, and of Courſe expecting the Vacancy to be filled up by ſome ductile Favourite on the *South Coaſt*, to recompence his iniquitous Adroitneſs in perverting our late Elections,—we find another Perſonage of diſtinguiſh'd Merit, call'd out of his virtuous Receſs into Light and Preferment; one who, of all People in the World, had the leaſt Reaſon to expect any other Notice from the *Coalition* that what might totally diſable him from arraigning their Conduct, and deriding their wretched Medley of Politics! as it is notorious he was an avow'd Enemy to all the Meaſures of their Maſter, and conſidered them as poor paultry Expedients to ſerve always the preſent Purpoſe, Blinds for the People, and deſtructive of the public Good: Like Quack Medicines, which, while they ſkin over the Surface of the Wound, leave a malignant Foulneſs within that endangers the whole Limb.

We may remember he ſtood up with a commendable Vehemence of Zeal for his Country and the State, when the Foundations of them were endanger'd by Ignorance and Iniquity He join'd the virtuous Few, in defending the Banks of the Conſtitution againſt the Overflow of *Corruption* and *Miniſterial Tyranny*. So that however intereſted and prone to Revenge *ſome People* may have ſhewn themſelves on late Occaſions, a great many among us conſider this Particular as indicating a pious Aptneſs to forgive, and return Good for Ill; and therefore hope to ſee the Doctrines of the Goſpel flouriſh at Court: Though ſome Sceptics in Affairs of Government think otherwiſe.

Who inveighs, ſay they, againſt the Leader of Iniquity makes but an ill Compliment to his paſſive Aſſociates in it; who, no doubt, conſider themſelves as highly affronted in the low Capacity of executing the Purpoſe of their Patron, as often as they hear his Conduct ſtigmatiz'd and exploded. Engines and Implements are not always inanimate Things, and needs not the impulſive Quality of Hands to put them in Motion. Tho' thoſe of *Leviathan* might perhaps, from their Inconſiderableneſs, eſcape expreſs Notice in the frequent Cenſure of public Tranſactions, yet it can't be ſuppoſed but that they muſt have looked upon themſelves as generally implied, and involved in common with their Director; for the Horror of Guilt will wake at the leaſt Noiſe, and bad Men are ever apprehenſive they are pointed at in every Reproach, however remote or obſcure. Is it then to be imagined, that the *Two Brothers*, who have made ſuch large implicit Strides in the exploded Meaſures of *Leviathan*, can entertain any favourable Impreſſions of a Perſon who traduc'd and expos'd them ſo often to the World? Who knows not, that Forgiveneſs is not their Characteriſtic, or great Abilities their Admiration? But, on the contrary, 'tis univerſally allow'd they dread the Penetration and Diſcernment of the laſt, as much as they diſavow, by their Practices, the generous ſocial Virtues of the firſt. We may therefore conclude, that the Preferment I have been ſpeaking of, had not its Foundation in their Choice, or in the Dictates of the Goſpel; and that the Merit of the Party was rather a Plea in Bar than of Recommendation, in their Senſe of Things.

Though the Avenues of Preferment may be altogether in their Hands, yet we can't be long at a Loſs to account, in ſome Meaſure, for this ſurprizing Event, if we conſider, that though there may not be *Five* righteous Perſons in Power to ſave the City, yet there may be *One*, who, from an Affinity of Manners and Way of Thinking, may have Influence enough to introduce an old Friend and Fellow-Labourer into a bye Seat; for 'tis hoped there may be one among them that does not heartily *coalize*, and therefore deſerves no other Cenſure than that of being found in bad Company, as they may pervert his Tenets ſooner than he can reform theirs: Numbers in Vice and ill Examples inſenſibly ſteal upon the Mind and govern it, unleſs it be guarded well by Virtue. 'Tis one Degree of Declination from it, to aſſociate with thoſe whom one has taught others to diſapprove of and diſlike. Be this a Leſſon for both the Patron and his Friend! and would they acquit themſelves well in the Eye of their Country, they will not loſe Remembrance of an Adminiſtration that did it Honour abroad, and endeavour'd, tho' in vain, to extricate it from the Labyrinths of Corruption at home. If there is no other Way of delivering their Country from M————l Uſurpation, and ſet their S——r——n free, they will not forget the pious Fraud of *Huſhai* in *Jewry*, nor that of *S—d—l—d* in *England*, when all other Meaſures failed to reſtore the Honour of the Throne, and the Rights of the Community.

As, in theſe Days of Depravity, an Office is ſeldom conferr'd upon any one who is not in a Capacity to aſſiſt the Power that gives it, it may be a Matter of Wonder to ſome, that the Succeſſor of the *Diſplac'd* was not elected into the Number of the *Sixteen* of his Country; more eſpecially as moſt, if not all of them, appear to have been particularly diſtinguiſhed by the *Two Brothers*, who perhaps may tranſact Affairs of *Nomination* there, after the ſame laudable Manner as B————p-making here: I mean not, with the ill-judging Vulgar, by a late ingenious Evaſion of *Simoniacal* Contracts in Wagers of the Amount of one Year's Profit, but by iſſuing out a Writ in the Nature of *Conge d'Elire*, and annexing an Appointment to it. Whether this be regular, and agreeable to the Act of *Union*, I know not; but we can make Doubt of its Legality, ſince it never fails to meet with due Obſervation and Obedience from the *conſcientious* Care and *uninfluenced* Loyalty of the noble Convention at *Eden*; which always pays a great Regard to UNION on ſuch Occaſions: But I think I can ſolve the Difficulty ariſing from this yet unaccountable Promotion, and reconcile the ſeeming Inconſiſtence of it with Reaſon, or at leaſt with the Conduct of the *Coalition*. We may remember, that the noted *Bronſo* remained, for ſome Time, in a State of Probation; he was taken in by Degrees, and clamber'd up the Mount of Preferment and Truſt in Proportion to the dirty Services he render'd to his Patrons, and was not admitted into abſolute Confidence 'till becoming abandon'd and deſpis'd by all his former Acquaintance and every Lover of Truth and Principle, he had purged away his former Sins of *Oppoſition*, kiſs'd the chaſtizing Rod, and humbled himſelf to Correction, before the *Remains* of the *State-Coloſſus* he had helped to overthrow. Now to inveſt a Perſon, who had made ſo conſiderable a Figure in the ſame *Oppoſition*, with Power as well as Preferment, before they had thoroughly prov'd him, might be look'd upon, with ſome Reaſon, as an impolitic Step, too late to be remedied, if, as one of the delegated *Sixteen*, he ſhould ſacrifice his Poſt to the Glory of conſcientiouſly ſerving his Country in that Capacity, with the ſame Voice, the ſame Heart, and in the ſame Principle he maintained before. Therefore the Wiſdom of Precaution is manifeſt, and a State of Probation neceſſary, 'till he finds ſome auſpicious Occaſion to *explain* and thruſt himſelf into Confidence with the *Coalition*; more eſpecially as they may well diſpenſe with the Service of a ſingle Vote, for furthering on ſuch M————l Jobbs as may be brought into the next Market; which, as it is apparent to every one who can calculate Numbers, without any other Aſſiſtance than the common Rules of Arithmetic, will be too full upon their Hands, and puzzle their Choice.

Were I not too well acquainted with the Diſpoſition of the *Coalition*, I ſhould make no Scruple to impute the Non-Election of the Party to his own Indifference, or perhaps his Choice to be out of the Way of Temptation: Like a virtuous Woman, who, inſtead of vainly truſting to her own Fortitude, which but too often fails, prudently ſhuns the Society of the Tempter. But a Virtue like this ſeldom leads into Preferment in theſe degenerate Days, and to introduce a Preſident of that Kind may be dangerous to thoſe who have the Care of our public Affairs: We muſt not forget that we have been miniſterially told, *That there is no governing without Corruption*; and that *Every Man has his Price!* If we have been taught a Doctrine like this by the *Maſter*, what leſs are we to expect from his Pupils, who purſue the ſame Plan, and by the very ſame Hands, if we except a few, on whoſe Venality, by *knowing their Price*, the *Two Brothers* have practiſed ſucceſsfully, and lur'd into the College of Corruption wherein they preſide? It behoves therefore every Man of Honour, who regards his Reputation and Credit, to be cautious how he *deals* with Sharpers, or comes within the Reach of their Infection: Honour in Man is like Virtue in the Fair; 'tis delicate and exceedingly ſuſceptible of Cenſure: It is not ſufficient to be virtuous alone, but we muſt appear to be ſo, for the World forms a Judgment by Appearances, and indeed have no other Way to regulate their Thoughts than by Obſervation taken in by the Eye, as they can't dive into the Heart within. It was in this Manner a great Man, whom I have already hinted at, ſuffer'd, not a little, in the good Opinion of the World; but it is hop'd the World may have been miſtaken in him, and be in the End, and perhaps ſoon, found agreeably diſappointed in the Apprehenſions formed from his going out of the right Road to join a Company we did not like. But as it is not every Man who is bleſt with Talents like his, it is not for every Man to do like him, as they may periſh in the Paſſage which his Prudence may ſurmount.

But whatever be the Motive inducing to the afore-mentioned Preferment, and whatever Expectations we may promiſe ourſelves from the Merit of the Party preferr'd, 'tis plain a good and uſeful Subject has been affronted and highly injur'd by a M————l Cabal, who have deprived

him of his Office, while his Services to his King and Country are yet reeking, and, in the general Opinion, deserved more grateful Returns; deprived too at a Time, which seems to indicate we may soon want those very Services again! The Enemy are at Hand: *Bergen-op Zoom* Was the Barrier of *England*; it is the Gate that opens upon us, and will give all *Zealand* to an angry Foe, elate with Success and Revenge; from whence an Invasion may be easily effected upon us, especially if we consider how conveniently it corresponds with the Situation of *Dunkirk*, the Foe's Magazine of Stores and warlike Preparations. This may probably encourage another Rebellion in the *North*, while we may have Business enough for our Troops in the *South*, and perhaps to guard our very Capital City. The same Spirit subsists still Northward, and perhaps with some Aggravation, on Account of the late Laws enacted in relation to that Country, which, no doubt, as Affairs have been manag'd and now stand, will rather tend to create than quiet Disturbances, as those Laws are said to be misrepresented among the People there, and that the very Friends of the Government are discontented, that there is no Time limited to pay the Consideration they are to be allow'd for their *Heretable Jurisdictions*: They cry aloud, that, in all Bargains of Property, the Consideration and Possession ought to attend on one another, and be exchang'd at one and at the same Time; whereas they are now left to the Caprice of a Ministry for the first, though the last is taken from them by Force of Law.

But it seems Revenge is at all Events to be gratified, and Disobedience to the *Coalition* draws down a surer Vengeance, tho' not so fatal, as High Treason; and perhaps it may not be improper to make Examples to usher in the approaching Convention with Awe and Solemnity.

LONDON.

A certain noble Peer, Colonel of one of the late new-raised Regiments during the Rebellion, has sent for his Officers, which makes it surmized that those Regiments will be raised again, during the Absence of our Army in Flanders.

Count Bentinck, with his two Sons, went on Monday by Water from his Mother's the Countess of Portland, in Privy-Garden, to Greenwich, and immediately embarked on board the Carolina Yacht, on his Return to Holland.

His Majesty has been pleased to appoint Dr. John Barker, of Essex-Street in the Strand, to be Physician to the Army in Flanders, under the Command of his Royal Highness the Duke of Cumberland.

The Right Hon. the Lord John Murray was not killed at Bergen-op Zoom, as was mentioned in some of the Papers, his Lordship having wrote a Letter to a Person of Quality within these few Days of his being in good Health. And we have the Pleasure to assure our Readers, that none of the English Troops suffered, they being in the Lines.

We hear that Lodgings are taken in Suffolk-street for General Keith, who is soon expected to arrive here from Russia.

It is said, that Henry Rolle, Esq; Member of Parliament for Barnstaple in Devonshire, will soon be created a Peer of Great-Britain; and that Sir Bourchier Wrey, a Gentleman of the Neighbourhood, will succeed at Barnstaple; though an Opposition is talked of on Behalf of —— Fortescue, Esq; of Cornwall.

Tuesday the Commissioners of Westminster-Bridge met to consider how to repair the Defects of the Fifth Arch; at which were present several Architects, Engineers, Masons, Builders, &c.

We hear that Orders are given to beautify the Statue of Sir Thomas Gresham, in the North-West Corner of the Royal Exchange

Last Week died at her Seat in Nottinghamshire, the Right Hon. Lady Viscountess Howe, second Wife of Scroope Lord Viscount Howe: She was Daughter of William Lord Alington, by Juliana, Daughter of Baptist Noel, Lord Viscount Campden.

Last Week died, in the 87th Year of his Age, at Haverfordwest, David Stephen Lloyd, Esq; a Gentleman of considerable Fortune.

Yesterday se'nnight died at his House in Tothill-street, Mr. Richard Farding, the oldest Inhabitant in the Parish of St. Margaret's, Westminster, who had acquired a Fortune with Reputation, and left off Business many Years since.

On Monday died at his Seat in Buckinghamshire, Walter Simpson, Esq; a Gentleman of a large Estate in that County, and formerly a Commander in the Royal Navy.

On Tuesday Morning last died at his House near Queen-square, Ormond-street, Thomas Murray, Esq; Nephew to the late famous Mr. Murray, the Face Painter, possessed of an Estate of 2000 l. per Annum, which devolves to his Brother Charles Murray, Esq;

Thursday Morning died, at his House in Thames street, Capt. John Chapman, an Elder Brother of the Trinity-House, formerly a Commander in the West-India Trade, in which he acquired a large Fortune.

The Distemper having encreased amongst the Horned Cattle, his Majesty has issued his Royal Proclamation, for prohibiting throughout England the removing any Cattle from any Town to another, except such as are fatted, and fit for immediate Slaughter. And for the greater Certainty that the fatted Cattle are not infected, no Person is to buy, sell, or offer to Sale, any such fatted Cattle, without delivering a Certificate under the Hand and Seal of one or more Justices of the Peace for the County, Riding, Division, City, Liberty, or Town Corporate, that the said Cattle, and the Herd or Herds out of which the same were taken, were at that Time, and had been for the Space of two Months before the Date of such Certificate, entirely free from the said Distemper, and in the Possession of the Person selling the same. And for the better preventing the spreading of the said Distemper, by the Sale of lean Cattle, under Pretence of their being fatted and ready for Slaughter, his Majesty orders, that all Butchers, or others who buy the said Cattle, shall cause them to be killed within the Space of ten Days from their being so bought. Which Order is to continue in Force for the Space of three Calendar Months.

They write from Guildford in Surry, that the Fair annually held there on the 21st Instant, called Katherine Hill-Fair, is laid aside this Year, on Account of the Distemper among the Horned Cattle; and also that the Weekly Market in that Town for Cattle, is prohibited 'till the 1st of November next.

When Austen the Smuggler (who was last Monday brought under a strong Guard and lodged in Newgate) was taken at Maidstone, he made a stout Resistance, being armed with a Blunderbuss and other Weapons, and shot a Serjeant in the Head in such a Manner that it took away half his Skull, and he is since dead.

On Thursday another noted Smuggler, infamous for his Cruelty, was also brought to Newgate, under the Escorte of a strong Guard; so that 'tis hop'd these Pests of the Coast-Countries will be soon and effectually dispersed, or brought to their deserved Exits.

Last Sunday Night a young Man, coming from Newington to London, was attacked by two Men in the Fields, who robbed him of his Silver Shoe and Knee Buckles; afterwards they cut his Throat, but luckily missed his Windpipe, and then threw him into the River: He got, with Difficulty, out again, and went to the Half-Moon in Islington, where all possible Care was taken of him. —— Robberies in and about the Town, are now so very frequent that it behoves every one to be on his Guard who goes out ever so little after Dark.

Tuesday Morning early the Salisbury and Cirencester Stage-Coaches were both robbed near Turnham-Green.

On Monday Evening a Skiff going to Erith was overset by some Accident, and two young Men, that belonged to one of the India Ships outward-bound, were drowned.

On Tuesday a Boat, wherein were three Passengers, was overset near Bull-Stairs, Rotherhith, by running foul of a Ship's Cable, and one of the Persons drowned. The others were taken up by the Assistance of some Boats.

Thursday Morning the Body of a Man genteely dress'd, with a Watch and Money in his Pockets, was cast on Shore near Poplar: He had on a light-coloured Coat, and ruffl'd Shirt, but was not known.

Wednesday a Man genteely dressed was found floating on the River at Vauxhall, and being taken up, and some Memorandums found in his Pockets, he appeared to be Mr. Wright, a Hopfactor of great Business in Rotherhith; but how he came by his Accident is not known.

Yesterday se'nnight a Servant-Maid in Rotherhithe, being disordered in her Senses, by a Fever, pulled her Tongue as far out of her Mouth as she could, and cut it off with a Case Knife; she was immediately carried to St. Thomas's Hospital, where all possible Care was taken of her, but she died in a short Time.

A few Days ago a melancholy Accident happened near Aylesbury, in the County of Bucks. As the Minister of Weston-Turville was riding home from Wendover, reading a News-Paper, (upon a Horse that he had been often caution'd not to ride, on Account of his Viciousness) was, as is supposed, upon the Horse's taking a sudden Fright, flung off, and killed immediately, he being found dead that Evening with his Neck broke, and the News-Paper laying by him.

Last Week a Fire happened at a Farm-house, near Middlehurst in Kent, belonging to Mr. Fry, which entirely burnt it to the Ground; but the Barns, Stables, and other Out-houses were preserved, in which were a large Quantity of Grain.

This Week the Workmen, digging amongst the Ruins of the late Fire in Hog-Lane, found several Lumps of Silver, one in particular weigh'd near 3 l. 'Tis said to be the Property of an old Woman that sells Greens, &c. in Bishopsgate-Street.

Orders are sent to the several Commanders of his Majesty's Ships of War to repair on board their respective Ships, in order to put to Sea on the first Notice.

We are informed, that one of his Majesty's Sloops of War, has received Orders to be ready to sail at a Minute's Warning for the West Indies, with important Dispatches to the several English Governors there.

We hear that they have received Letters at Paris, giving an Account of the Death of the Queen Dowager of Spain.

Private Letters from Holland assure us, that all possible Precautions are taken to prevent the farther Progress of the French, by laying the Country under Water.

The States of Holland have published a Placard, for raising, by free Gift, Supplies for enabling them to repulse the Encroachments of the French.

By a Letter from the Hague we have an Account, that a List of twelve principal Persons, supposed to be in the Interest of France, has been presented to the Prince Stadtholder by a great Number of eminent Inhabitants, desiring that they may be brought to Justice; they being ready to produce Evidence against them sufficient to convict them of Male Practices.

Copy of a Letter from a Gentleman at Breda, dated Sept. 5.

"Good God! how great was our Surprize to find this Town almost in an Uproar, and enquiring the Reason of it, found Bergen-op-Zoom had been taken this Morning, by Assault of 12 Grenadiers; the most shameful Thing that ever was heard, to sleep in such Security with the Enemy at the Door, whom the least Defence in the World must repulsed, if it had been done in Time; for there was only a small Breach practicable on the Ravelin of Dedem, where these 12 Grenadiers mounted, and frighted the Dutch that defended it, who ran away immediately through the Port de Sortie, and the others at their Heels, which should therefore be called, henceforward, the *Porte d'Entree:* The Piquets that followed the Grenadiers, finding the Way clear, scrambled up the two Breaches of the Batteries of la Pucelle and Coehorn, from whence the Defenders also fled, and spread a general Consternation in the Town, so that it was save who could; however Constrom and Hesse Philipsthal got some Troops together, particularly the Scots Regiment of Collier's (who behav'd most gloriously, neither giving nor taking Quarter) and a Regiment of Swiss, endeavouring to repulse the Enemy; but it was too late, for by this Time about 10,000 of the Enemy were got into the Town; and as they let themselves be caught asleep, they had better have marched off than sacrificed those brave Men, for scarce a hundred of Collier's Regiment escap'd, and not many more of the Swiss Regiment of Constance: The Prince was wounded; but both he and Cronstrom, got to Oudenbosch to Dinner, but I suppose with no great Appetite. I learn'd these Particulars of one the English Engineers that saved himself, with some of his Comrades, in very little more than their Shirts; and if the French had follow'd the Blow and Consternation, and only detached 4 or 5000 Men to Breda, they might certainly have surprized it the same Day.

"Those cowardly Rascals that ran away from the 12 Grenadiers, had better have defended themselves, for their Deserts overtook them, amidst the horrid indiscriminate Slaughter of Men, Women, and even Children, the French crying out, *Vive le Roy, & tuez les Bougres.*"

The French, when they took Bergen-op-zoom found there 235 Pieces of Cannon, 1400 Barrels of Powder, a large Quantity of Bomb Shells and Mortars, and other warlike Stores; and above 30,000 l. in Money.

Tuesday Sixteen of the Highland Regiment arrived in the River from Flushing: They made their Escape from Bergen-op-Zoom when the French storm'd it.

COUNTRY NEWS.

Cambridge, Sept. 12. Last Week died, after a lingering Illness, aged five Years and ten Months, Thomas Hall, the extraordinary Boy, who was born at Willingham, near this Town, October 31, 1741, who at the Age of two Years and a half was four Feet and one Inch high, well-proportioned, strong and lusty, and had even the Marks of Virility.

SCOTLAND.

Edinburgh, Sept. 10. We are told that the Trial of Archibald Stewart, Esq; late Provost of this City, will be re-assumed on the 26th of October here.

The Master of the William and Jean, who arrived Yesterday at Leith from Bergen in Norway, brings an Account, That the new Fox Man of War had met with and taken, off the Nase, two French Privateers, one of 20, and the other of 16 Guns, and had carried them into a Port in Norway; the Captain of the Fox had one of his Legs shot off in the Engagement.

Yesterday Capt. Clark arrived in Leith Road from Carolina.

IRELAND.

Limerick, Sept. 3. Last Night a melancholy Accident happened at Mr. Young's, a Dier, near St. John's Gate; two of his Apprentices began to wrestle in the Workhouse,

where a Furnace was boiling with Dye-Stuff, into which they both tumbled; and tho' they were immediately taken out, the one lived but a few Minutes, and the other expir'd the next Morning.

Dublin, Sept. 8. Letters-Patent have paſſed the Great Seal, appointing Commiſſioners to enquire, hear, and determine, within the County of Down, what Treaſons, Felonies, Robberies, Murders, &c. any Perſons have committed upon the Sea, or in any Haven, River, Creek, &c.

Within a few Days paſt more fine Coaches, Berlins, Landau's, Chariots, and other Wheel Carriages, with the richeſt Linings, Hammercloths, and Harneſſes, have been imported into this Kingdom from London, than ever were ſeen in ſo ſhort a Time before.

We hear from Cork, that the Right Rev. Father in God Jennet, Lord Biſhop of Cork and Roſs, has preſented the Rev. Barton Parkinſon, D. D F.R.S. to the Vicarage of Kingſale, a Living of 200 l. a Year, without any Intereſt or Motive but his Lordſhip's laudable Deſign of providing for the old Curates of his Dioceſe.

Laſt Sunday died at Waterford, the Rev. Alexander Alcock, Dean of Liſmore; a Gentleman of exemplary Piety, Charity and Learning.

Laſt Wedneſday died of the Small-Pox, at Three Caſtles in the County of Kilkenny, Miſs Eliz Ball, Daughter of John Ball, Eſq;

Thurſday died Dr. Smith, formerly of Waterford, and Son of the late Dr. Smith, Profeſſor of Chymiſtry in our Univerſity.

FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

DENMARK.

Copenhagen, Sept. 5. The Coronation of their moſt gracious Majeſties, which was very magnificent, was as follows.

In the Morning about Ten, the King, dreſſ'd in his Royal Robes, with the Crown on his Head, the Sceptre in his Right Hand, and the Globe in his Left, went on Foot from the Palace to the Church, under a Canopy of Crimſon Velvet, adorned with Gold Fringes, and borne by four Knights of the Elephant. Several Noblemen followed him two and two; and then came the Queen, under a magnificent Canopy likewiſe. She was dreſſed in a Roman Habit, and her Train ſupported by three Knights of the ſame Order. A Party of his Majeſty's Guards cloſed the Proceſſion.

A ſuperb Throne of Crimſon Velvet was raiſed in the Church, upon which were placed two Chairs of State, one for the King, and the other for the Queen.

After their Majeſties were ſeated, the Biſhop of Zealand made a fine Diſcourſe ſuitable to the Occaſion; which being done, the ſame Prelate, aſſiſted by the Biſhop of Chriſtiana in Norway, and another of the Province of Jutland, performed the Ceremony of anointing the King and Queen, with the uſual Formalities.

Their Majeſties then returned to the Palace, in the ſame Order. The Cloth, which had been ſpread on the Floor of the Church, during the Ceremony, was left for the People to ſhare among them.

The King and Queen afterwards dined in Public, and were waited upon at Table by Knights.

When they had dined, a whole Ox roaſted was given to the Populace; Fountains of Wine, Red and White, were ſet a flowing from the four Fronts of a Machine that had been erected on Purpoſe; Money was thrown to the Populace from four ſeveral Places; and in the Evening, there were fine Fireworks and Illuminations all over the City. The Ships that were in the Road diſplay'd their Flags, Streamers and Pennants; the great Guns were fired ſeveral Times; and every Thing paſſed in very good Order.

His Majeſty had before created ſeveral new Knights of the Orders of the Elephant and Dannebrog, and made a Promotion, Civil and Military.

GERMANY.

Vienna, Sept. 3. We have diſmal Accounts from Tranſylvania of the Miſchief done there lately by Locuſts. Theſe Creatures come, no body well knows from whence, tho' ſome ſay from Tartary, and other Countries Eaſtward. Such as are acquainted with what is ſaid of them by ancient Authors, or remember the Deſcriptions given by ſome modern Travellers, will readily believe what follows:

An Extract of a Letter from Tranſylvania, Aug. 22.

"Theſe dreadful Creatures, with which we are afflicted, follow two Commanders, each of them, in Compariſon of the reſt of the Species, of an enormous Size, being as near as could be gueſſed four Inches long, and as thick as a Man's Finger. They move in two Columns; the firſt Places they invaded were the Territories of Bellegiſch and Banoſze, where they paſs'd the Night. The next Morning they directed their Flight towards Peeſka, Maradick, &c. and the Day following towards Irriga, where they have eat the Leaves, the Graſs, the Cabbages, the Melons, and Cucumbers, to the very Roots. Yeſterday they were in Motion towards Schuliom, bending their Flight manifeſtly towards Zealmo, and the Places thereabouts. They continue in the Air, or, if one may uſe the Expreſſion, they march generally two Hours and a half at a Time. They form a cloſe compact Column, about fifteen Yards deep, in Breadth about four Muſquet Shot, and in Length near four Leagues: They move with ſuch Force, or rather Precipitation, that the Air trembles to ſuch a Degree as to ſhake the Leaves upon the Trees, and they darkened the Sky in ſuch a Manner, that when they paſſed over us I could not ſee my People at 20 Foot Diſtance. Theſe Creatures fight with each other in their Camps, for when they remove we find Numbers of them half fle'd, and many more without Wings or Feet.

P. S. At this Inſtant we have Notice, that two Swarms more are approaching, which, after having ſettled in the Neighbourhood of Waroſch, have returned back by Nerraden and Jaſeck, making a prodigious Buz or humming Noiſe as they paſſed."

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